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## NOTICE OF APPEAL

## Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision dated September 20, 2006, finally rejecting claims 11-20.

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